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For: METHOD OF MAKING RARE-EARTH)	
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PRODUCING RARE-EARTH)	
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AMENDMENT

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Sir:

In response to the Office Action mailed June 18, 2007, Applicants respectfully request reconsideration and allowance of the above-identified application in view of the following amendments and remarks.

Amendments to the Claims begin on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks begin on page 5 of this paper.